

Public Notices.

NOTICE TO JURORS.

ALL WRITTEN EXCUSES from Jurors will be acknowledged in future.

CHARRLES COWPER,
Clerk.

Sheriff's Office, Supreme Court, Sydney,
November 3, 1868.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL PROCEEDING.
In the Lands, Courts, Forests, and Effects of MARY COCHRAN, late of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, Deceased, intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the account of the above estate which was filed in my office, Supreme Court, Sydney, on the 11th instant, has been forwarded to the same, and if I am interested therein, am hereby required to come in before me, my said office, on or before the eleventh day of December next, to give evidence of the contents of the same, and, if my said object shall be, object thereto; otherwise, if the said account be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed. Dated this twenty-second day of November, A.D. 1868.

T. W. GARETT,
Registrar.

ELLIS and MARSDEN,
Proctors,
[23, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY No. 746.

TO JOHN M'NINN, of Armfield, Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SINGLE MEETING of Creditors of the above matter will be held at the Court, Chancery system, on the 7th day of December, 1868, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit.

And notice is further given that the proof must be lodged to the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of December, 1868.

ARTHUR HENRY,
Registrar in Bankruptcy.

MR. L. T. LYON,
Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY No. 755.

RE THOMAS TILTON LEE, of Paddington, a Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SINGLE MEETING of Creditors

the above matter will be held at the Court, Chancery-square,
 on the 7th (seventh) day of December, 1868, at 11 a.m.,
 or as soon as the court shall sit at 11 a.m., or as
 soon after as the course of business will permit.
 To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged
 with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of
 December, 1868.
 ARTHUR HENRY,
 Registrar in Bankruptcy.
 Mr. E. M. STEPHEN,
 Official Assignee.
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH
 WALES.**
IS BANKRUPTCY—No. 768.
 Re WILLIAM CHALKLEY, of Parramatta, Painter.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the next MEETING of
 Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Court, Chancery-
 square, on the 7th day of December, 1868, at 11 a.m., or as
 soon after as the course of business will permit.
 To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat, his proof must be lodged
 with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of
 December, 1868.
 ARTHUR HENRY,
 Registrar in Bankruptcy.
 Mr. E. M. STEPHEN,
 Official Assignee.
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH
 WALES.**
IS BANKRUPTCY—No. 769.
 Re CHARLES MATTHEWS, of Sydney, Engineer, and
 NOTICE is hereby given that the next MEETING of Creditors
 in the above matter will be held at the Court, Chancery-square,
 on the 7th day of December, 1868, at 11 a.m., or as
 soon after as the course of business will permit.
 To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged
 with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of
 December, 1868.
 ARTHUR HENRY,
 Registrar in Bankruptcy.
 Mr. A. MORRIS,
 Official Assignee.
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH
 WALES.**
IS BANKRUPTCY—No. 769.
 Re WILLIAM CATCHPOLE, of Clarence-street,
 Draper, Carpenter.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the next MEETING of Creditors
 in the above matter, will be held at the Court, Chancery-
 square, on the 7th day of December, 1868, at 11 a.m., or as
 soon after as the course of business will permit.
 To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged
 with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of
 December, 1868.
 ARTHUR HENRY,
 Registrar in Bankruptcy.
 Mr. A. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 763.
RE EDWIN NAVELEY, of Katoomba and Annandale, Contractors.
NOTICE is hereby given that the **FIRST MEETING** of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the office of the Official Assignee, Deane-street Chambers, Sydney, on the 5th day of December, 1888, at 3 o'clock p.m.
To enable a Creditors to prove their claims, the proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Chancery-square, Sydney, not later than the 1st day of December, 1888.
ARTHUR HENRY,
Registrar in Bankruptcy.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 716.
RE MARY ANN WOODS, of Westmoreland-street, Home-keeper.
NOTICE is hereby given that the **FIRST MEETING** of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the office of the Official Assignee, Deane-street Chambers, Sydney, on the 5th day of December, 1888, at 3 o'clock p.m.
To enable a Creditors to prove their claims, the proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Chancery-square, Sydney, not later than the 1st day of December, 1888.
ARTHUR HENRY,
Registrar in Bankruptcy.

JN. A. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In HAYDEN v. No. 740.

Re JAMES HAYDEN, of Marrieville, Currier.

NOTICE is hereby given that the MEETING of Creditors will be held at the Court-house, Sydney, on Thursday, November 16, at 11 o'clock, on the 7th day of December, 1894, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as may be convenient.

To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 4th day of December, 1894.

ARTHUR HENRY,
Registrar in Bankruptcy.

M. E. M. STEPHENS,
Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In INSOLVENCY AND IN BANKRUPTCY.

No. 807.

The Insolvent Estate of GEORGE LYNCH HILL, of Grafton, Clarence River, Gentleman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Meeting of Insolvent Intends to be held at the Court-house, Sydney, on Thursday, the 14th day of December, 1894, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of electing the assignees of the insolvent estate, or as soon thereafter as the course of business shall require.

estate, and that all creditors have connected therewith, and on the further grounds appearing in and by the affidavit of the said JOHN WILLIAMS, the said JOHN WILLIAMS is entitled to the said Estate. Dated this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1885.
 CURTIS and HARRY
 Solicitors for Incasute,
 107, King-street, New South
 WALES.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
RECEIVABLE JUDICATURE.
 The Will of RICHARD GRIFPITH, deceased, in the colony of New South Wales, is hereby proved, and the said WILLIAMS is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the publication of this notice in the Government Gazette, application will be made to this Honourable Court, in the Receivables Jurisdiction, that Probate of the said WILLIAMS Testament be granted to the said JOHN WILLIAMS, and to SARAH BYFIELD and GEORGE PEARSON, the said JOHN WILLIAMS in the said Will being named as Executor.
 Dated this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1885.
 CURTIS and HARRY DAINTYFF, Proctor for the said JOHN WILLIAMS.
 107, King-street, New South
 WALES.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
RECEIVABLE JUDICATURE.
 The Estate and Effects of RICHARD GRIFPITH, late of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentlemen, de-

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1962, Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of the late **THOMAS DREW**, late of King'sclere-road, Alexandria, near THOMAS, in the colony of New South Wales, who are entitled to the distribution of the assets of the said estate, are requested to appear before the 15th day of November, 1968, at the office of the said Administrator, in order to make their claims known to the said Administrator, who will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the distribution of the said estate then before him.

Dated this 30th day of November, A.D. 1968.

W. H. PIGOTT,
Practor,
No. 6, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

RECEIVANCY JURISDICTION.

THE WILL OF THOMAS DREW, late of King'sclere-road, Alexandria, near THOMAS, in the colony of New South Wales, deceased.

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Dated this 16th day of November, 1968.

W. H. PIGOTT,
Practor,
No. 6, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

THE ESTATE OF JOHN BROWN, late of Kau
Hall, Green Plains. In the colony of New South Wales,
Gentleman, deceased.

All Persons having any claim against the above estate are re-
quested to forward same to the undersigned before WEDNESDAY
the 30th December next, to the executors, say of Messrs. Deane
& Deane, solicitors, 55, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1885.

DRANK AND DEANE.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH
WALES.**

CHARLES EDWARD HERBERT, of No. 3, Duffry-
crane, Cleveland-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, is the colony of
New South Wales, a Practitioner of the law, do hereby certify that
the within and above named CHARLES EDWARD HERBERT, is the
last day of the present Term, to apply to be conditionally ad-
mitted to practice at the bar of the Supreme Court of New South
Wales, on the twenty-first day of November, 1885.

CHARLES E. HERBERT.

W. M. J. McLAUGHLIN, of "OUR PRINGS at 75,
William-street, will be sold to defray expenses if not

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PRAYER FOR RAIN.

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The following transactions were recorded by the Sydney Stock Exchange:—Morning: W

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of the letters advocating prayer for rain) the

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whole duty of man by a long way. I am, &c.
Nov. 23.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Re united prayer for rain, I have much pleasure
in endorsing your correspondent, Wm. Moles, in your issue of yesterday, excepting on one point
I think a week day should be set apart for our particular
prayer, as it has been done in some places for many days.
It be given up throughout the land. With regard to do-
sarily that may be overcome. I trust this appeal to the
Christian brethren to take action in the matter of bring-
ing in at least steps of prayer, will come from those who
many friends think should have been done long ago,
namely, a day set apart for earnest un-
derstanding prayer, for the benefit of all.
We are now in our time of calamity and distress
a time such as few of us ever saw before, for a time of su-
perior for poor dumb brutes, which has left us experienc-
ing the same things as they did, and we are bound to be
obliged to see the suffering without the power to relieve
except in those cases where the knife is used to end it.
It is a sad picture to look upon; and we are bound to
concentrate our thoughts to God, and pray for His
relieve our necessities. Thanking you in anticipation
insertion of this, and thanking your correspondent for his
promotion of Christianity, I feel that his suggestion
commend itself to every brother in Christ,
I am, &c., M. H. WHITE

Muswellbrook, November 23.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you allow me to point out that, while we

action by all the citizens of the United States, and the Providence to send us that much-desired boon, yet we never, believe, expect a continuation of favorable seasons, or anything like a prominent break-up of the clouds, until we have been humbled before the Almighty, and publicly acknowledged Him as the Great Controller of the Universe and the Supreme Provider of all our blessings. This can only be done, says a recent writer, by the action of the "Million" in to-day's issue, by a nation, from the Governor to the humblest in the setting apart a day for special humiliation and prayer; as he very sensibly says, it would be a "measure-seeking, at a great extent, by the Government putting a stop to train and tran traffic on that day.

The very act of setting apart such a day, even if it is expected to produce no other result, would be an acknowledgment that the nation as such, and as a supposedly Christian nation, has faith in the Supreme Being.

November 23. I am, &c. A. C. HIRS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Severe as the ordeal of a protracted drought prove to all, more or less, it will nevertheless, if rightly conceived, be for the best good of the community at large.

In all dispensations the Governor and Ruler of the Universe has the good of man in view, however try his flesh and blood the discipline may be. We should bear in mind that His character is love; and in the fastation thereof "He is too wise to err, too good to be unkind." All that He requires of us is to give Him our hearts. It is not no

ary to suspend the legitimate business of the church, and to devote the members to any other earthly good. Prayer is useful at all times; the true spirit of it dwells in the soul of every sincere Christian. If God is pleased to withhold the rain season, should any disbeliever in our midst, or any other, say, "I will not believe in the power of prayer," he should have cause for rejoicing. However great is the duty of a nation she will, as it was from the beginning, painfully realise the fact that national punishment will be visited upon her, and not only of her sins, but of her sins as regards war, has been so repeatedly referred to in the columns. Man, in his relationship to the Eternal Father, has a part to act on the stage of life, and on the faith performance thereof, otherwise depends his mission, time and eternity. I am, &c. A VOICE

PAYMENT OF MEMBERS BILLS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.
SIR, I have been reading your issue of the 10th inst. and
my old hands away for a spell; they'd depleted
"defect" me nearly to death, and then showed
"defect" that deprived me of breath. But for the
sake of my two boys, I'll do my utmost to do you
serve me, and save me, and set me a humming; and for
they would look for no fee nor reward, but hoped I
saw the point of view of the "patriots" who were
all the expected return to their homes most duly dejected
they'd been beaten by men whom they never expected
would be preferred before them when all claims
of "patriotism" were dropped. I am sure that if I
being written down unkind, I'll say to those now war-
pay that I'm not wanting such as they. I trust there
patriots in the land who a patriot's duty, who want
to see the "patriots" who are not for profit, but work
his country and not for himself.

Away with this "payment of members" then. A
war of the "patriots" who are not for profit, but work
the service of those who, while posing as "patriots,"
"payment" propose. Let them get them begun to

homes and their trades; they may know how to use
plans and tools. I saw the service of men
who did any work for the State without a big
pay.

Those 24 men who are plotting for pay in defence
their scheme can find nothing to say. They dispense
debate, they burke all discussion, as they nothing o
but, might loose all by concession.

But we have it in our power to do elsewhere.
press and the Council will put the thing square,
those two dozen men shall come in for the flails of a ju
exasperated

November 23. NEW SOUTH WALES.

The APPOINTMENT OF COLONIAL GOVERNORS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.
Sir,—It has usually been the boast of this colony

being the oldest of the group, its policy has been unsettled, stable, and less swayed by sudden impulses than the others; more decorous, sound, and solid. What is the meaning of our following the childish lead Queensland in reference to selection of Governors? Australian Governors have all, with scarce an exception, proved equal to the position: they have fulfilled their duties both to the colonial and Imperial Governments with dignity as the representatives of the Queen. We then, this sudden spasms? Sir Henry Parkes is liable to spasms, as was shown by his eccentric movements on Chinese question; his patriotism is unequal and uncertain.

and largely influenced by opportunism; but the pitiful fact is that the leader of the Opposition had not more wisdom and breadth of view than to add also his "fustian" to the debate. It is almost certain that the Imperial Government will not concede a request at once so consequent and impracticable. The business of government has great dependencies is inherent in England; and it is no new business to them; and for the first time the Government to first submit the names of future Governors for colonial approval would imply inferior judgment in selecting the fittest men available. Suppose a name submitted and objected to, a straining of relations

home surely must be the best and only judges of how to
most answered well have served them abroad, and
would be a blunder to disturb a system which on the whole
has assisted well the instance of our roccoo President
It was said of Napoleon the Third that he plunged
foreign wars in order to stifle domestic reforms. It
be said of the Government of New South Wales that
they were as able, as efficient, and as patriotic as any
Governors, the country would be everywhere prosperous
and the land would rejoice. I am, &c.,

November 23. JUNTUS

EIGHT-OAR RACES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Where is the fault? Is it want of petromegs or want of pluck? From the time that the first eight-oar Wales has given year after year sculling champions to the world, yet Bedford's eight is about the only one for years past that has been able to do nothing. The University of St. Ignace's College might make an effort.

Was the man who described us as selfish right? I am glad to hear of our glorification, but not of our equally good men for the honour of New South Wales.

I am, &c.
AN OLD RAMOL COCKSWAIN, O. U. R. C.

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Further information can be obtained on application.

Offices: 103, Pitt-street.

Sydney, 8th July, 1884.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1884.

It is understood that an English regiment returning from India, has been ordered to Skauken to assist in the expulsion of the hostile dervishes from the vicinity of that place.

Mr. JOHN BARNES shows no signs of recovery from his recent illness and he is rapidly sinking.

In a sculling match, rowed on the Potomac between Teemer and O'Connor, of Canada, over a three-

course, the latter won by 10 lengths, the time being 30 minutes 38 seconds. O'Connor is coming to Australia to row Scario for the championship.

YESTERDAY morning the trial of the 11 men charged with riotous and disorderly conduct on the 12th of October last, was commenced at the Criminal Court before Mr. Justice Foster.

JAMES BROUKE, of Long View-street, Balmain, is the name of the man who rescued three persons from a water grave in the accident which occurred of Long Nees Point last Saturday night.

ALL the collieries in the Newcastle district are in full work, and the harbour and wharves present a busy appearance.

THE Aconia Siding Hotel, nine miles from Broken Hill, was totally destroyed by fire on Saturday night. The total amount of damage is estimated at £1200.

OWING to the disqualification of the Iduna, the race for keel or centrepiece yacht attending the International Regatta took place again yesterday. Mr. A. O. Milner's "Eagle" easily, Mr. W. R. Smith's "Vesta" was second, and the Wanderer, a South Australian yacht, was third.

H.M.S. "EGERIA" has taken soundings for the proposed cable from Suva to New Zealand.

SEVEN writs have been issued by the Queensland Investment, Mortgage, and Land Company against Mr.

On Friday night the house of a selector at Moolah, in the Logan district of Queensland, was destroyed by fire, and three little children were burnt to death. The parents were away from the house at the time of the fire.

The match between the Australian Eleven and a similar number of South Australian players was concluded yesterday, and resulted in a win for the latter in the second innings after the loss of two wickets.

SIR SAMUEL GRIFITH has resigned his position in the Federal Council of Australasia, but on the invitation of Sir John Forrest he has been appointed to fill the full term, as fixed by the Imperial Act.

The Queensland Government have invited tenders for 25,000,000 of boring for artesian water.

A TREV in which two intoxicated miners were sleeping near Georgetown, Queensland, was burned down yesterday. William Barron, one of the occupants, was roasted to death, but the other escaped with slight injuries.

The Newsworld branch of the Irish National League proposes to suggest the Parnellite Fund.

A SERIES of miners has occurred at the Umbumbulu mine, Broken Hill, because they refused to relieve one other at the drive underground instead of waiting until the men of the last shift come to the surface.

JAMES BOLLING, while timbering an old mill

pass, in the Proprietary mine, Broken Hill, yesterday, was killed by being crushed under a mass of rock.

YESTERDAY morning an explosion of fireworks and fireworks material took place in a shed used by Brock and Co., on the Melbourne Cricket ground. The shed was totally destroyed, and a protechnic employee named Geoffrey was slightly injured.

CONSIDERABLE injury was caused by fire to the steamer Dolphin, on Saturday night, while lying in the Fremantle Harbour.

The premises of the North-west Mercantile Company, at Boreas, Western Australia, were destroyed by fire on Sunday.

A CLAIM has been entered by the City Land and Investment Company, of Adelaide, against a Melbourne syndicate, for £165,000, for the alleged non-performance of a contract to purchase certain land.

YESTERDAY afternoon a fire in Fryer-street, Shepperton, destroyed a flour-mill, a distillery, and a millinery shop, and caused an estimated loss of £23,000.

THIS dispute which the ironmoulders of Melbourne were concerned has been settled, and work will be resumed immediately.

MR. WANT'S yacht Miraval returned to Sydney yesterday, after having made an unsuccessful attempt to reach Melbourne to compete in the Commodore's Regatta. She has been absent from Sydney since 26th

At a public meeting held at Woolahra last night it was decided to open a subscription list in aid of the Parramatta Forestry Fund.

The schooner Forest King became unmanageable near Bado, and had to anchor. The ship's crew suffered greatly from thirst, and the boat's crew went ashore on the mainland of New Guinea for water. The schooner subsequently died from thirst.

It has been decided to voluntarily wind up the affairs of the Victorian Freehold Farms Company.

It is well that the supporters of the Government are about to hold a meeting to consider what course of action should be taken with respect to the business of the remaining portion of the session. If Friday is to be included as an additional sitting day, there will remain only twelve more days for Government business before Christmas; and if the business of the Government is to be disposed of within that time, it is certain that the rate of progress must be much more rapid than it has been hitherto. In the GOVERNOR'S speech at the opening of the session Parliament was informed that it had

been called together after an "unpleasant recess" "in order that provision might be made for the public service, and the financial business which was urgent might be dealt with before the end of the year." Rather more than a month has passed since the session began; rather less than a month remains between this and Christmas. Thus far Parliament has done, if not absolutely nothing, next to nothing, in the direction of fulfilling the intention at first announced. Unless there be a very great change in the course of procedure, the report a month hence

seen that considerations of this sort really come into force long before reaching the *reductio ad absurdum* which we have suggested above, and towards which the Assembly appears to be fast drifting.

In a series of articles we recently published, the story of our railways was sketched from the laying of the first sod at Redfern in July, 1850. Begun by private enterprise, the railways were soon taken up by the State, and with the exception of a short line from Deniliquin to Moama, they have since continued under the control of the Government. For the first quarter of a century only 437 miles were opened. Construction then proceeded at an accelerated pace, and at the end of 1887 the length of the railways was 2036 miles. In all Australasia the total reached 9467 miles. Nowhere has railway construction been so fully equal to population requirements as in these colonies. Except £766,623 supplied from our consolidated revenue, the capital cost of the New South Wales lines, amounting to £26,632,122, has been borrowed at varying rates of interest from capitalists of the mother-country. The loans were raised at the nominal rates of 5, 4, and $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent, but the actual cost of the money ranged from £6 2s. down to £3 16s. 2d. per cent. The progress of colonisation, hastened by the railways, has contributed to a steady improvement of our credit. The proceeds of the last loan, which does not of course form part of the expenditure of the lines opened at the end of 1887, costs the colony only £3 8s. 1d. per cent. Our improved credit will permit of the construction of new lines with cheaper money. The old lines will also pay better when we renew the high-priced capital at a lower rate of interest. That is a decidedly favourable feature in the railway outlook.

But one unsatisfactory aspect of the finances of the railways is that no official statement is given showing the annual cost to the country of the capital expended. In former reports figures were given showing the interest paid on the capital. But the return was misleading, and was discontinued. It is due to the country that the TREASURER should have a correct statement prepared and presented with the annual report. It is not sufficient to say that the net earnings of the railways for 1887 were £750,535, and that this represented 2·96 per cent. on the amount of capital expended. What should also be stated is the amount that capital costs annually in interest. Then we shall know whether the railways leave a loss or a profit, and how much. An approximate statement published in our articles shows that the interest was £1,118,770, or £398,235 over and above the net earnings, which had to be made good out of the consolidated revenue.

This deficiency has an important bearing on the railway policy of the country. If we could critically examine the railway report of 1887, we should see that some sections of the lines paid exceedingly well. The suburban line to Granville paid £63,713 over and above all cost of working and interest reckoned at the rate of $\frac{4}{5}$ per cent. In 1882 the main lines to Goulburn, Nevett, and Murrumbidgee paid £168,450 in excess of all charges; in fact, in that year the suburban line to Granville and these lines together paid £236,242 beyond their cost to the country. Since then the traffic on these sections of the railways has greatly increased; and it is not unreasonable to suppose that, if the report of 1887 had shown the results of their operation separately, there would have been a profit of at least £250,000. Whatever the profit was, however, it was swallowed up by losses on the unproductive sections. Thus, the customers of 587 miles of old lines paid excessive charges, amounting to about a quarter of a million sterling, towards the whole railway revenue, which yet, by reason of the losses in working 1449 miles, was short of the total cost by £268,000. The working of the unremunerative lines left a loss of rather more than £600,000; of which about a quarter of a million was paid by railway customers on other sections, and the remainder by the country. In 1887 nearly three-fourths of the railways of the colony barely paid working expenses.

This is the aspect of our railway policy against which Mr. GOODCHAP has protested. His return of net earnings was reduced from 5·13 per cent. on capital in 1882 to 2·96 per cent. in 1887, because, he said, railways through sparsely-peopled country had since been constructed to such an extent that where in the earlier year he had 997 inhabitants to supply each mile of line, in the later he had the support of only 513 persons per mile. The Commissioner of the Queensland Railways has protested against a similar extravagant railway expenditure, which has brought down the revenue returns. Obviously, the country will have to be taxed still more heavily if a slower policy be not adopted. We shall suffer as New Zealand has suffered if we are not careful.

Whether it is desirable to check construction, and, if so, to what extent, become questions of importance to the country generally, and to the railway customers on the existing lines particularly. While excessive charges are made on these, settlement on the country they traverse is handicapped. The people are tempted to leave the old districts to settle in the new. It would be absurd to suppose that a tenth of the good land within easy access of the existing lines is opened up. Therefore, the progress of the country could not really be impeded, but would probably be promoted, by a prudent railway policy. Undue dispersion of our small population otherwise increases the cost of government. Encouraged by the land law to pick out the eyes of the country, people are tempted to situations from which they assail the Government for roads, bridges, courthouses, and railways.

While the country is so sparsely occupied the railway charges must necessarily continue high. The average goods rates are three times as great as those of the United States, and 2·5 times as high as in the principal countries of Europe. But the passenger fares, averaging 1d. per mile, are below those on the lines of Europe and the United States. Perhaps this is due to the fact that a large proportion of our passenger traffic is on the suburban services, whose fares ought to be low, though where there is a matter of fact they are not really so low as fares on suburban lines in countries in which the general passenger rates are higher. Elsewhere they recognise the principle that fares should be regulated by the volume of traffic. Here we make the traffic on the old lines pay part of the cost of the new.

On the whole, the record of our railway progress, at least in later years, has exhibited

been substantially constructed, some of them at great expense. Having regard to hampering political influences, they have been managed with judgment, and have been remarkably free from accident. The speed has not been all that could be desired. On some sections, perhaps, we may look for improvement. But, with further additions to capital cost of new and expensive lines, much cannot be expected in the way of reduced charges, greater speed, or enlarged facilities. The Commissioners will weigh well all the requests they have heard on their tour of inspection. But, with all their defects, the railways have contributed more than any other material agency to the wonderful development since 1850 of the pastoral, agricultural, mining, and manufacturing industries of the country; and the amount of any loss which the general public have had to make good for the special benefit of railway customers has been more than returned to them.

The *Economist* has some sensible comments on the action of the British railway companies in issuing perpetual railway debentures; and the reasons which are given against such policy are precisely those we have urged against the issue of our railway debentures for very long periods. Our contemporary has been rather slow in arriving at what would be of advantage to the companies, if not to the public. Of course, in Australia the community represents the companies and the public, and there could be no doubt of the benefit. The *Economist* thinks it would certainly be in the interest of the companies if they were to follow the example of Mr. GOSCHEN, and, instead of raising their loans on interminable debentures, float them for a definite period, and then take advantage of the decreasing value of money to renew them on more favourable terms. It is pointed out that the average yield of the interminable 4 per cent. debenture stocks of seven of the leading companies has decreased pretty steadily from £3 14s. 1d. per cent. in 1879 to £3 1s. 6d. per cent. in 1888; and the present rate of the credit of the British railway companies being rather better than that of the Australian Governments—the great railway companies of this continent. Now, obviously, the British companies having issued their debentures interminably, they will have to go on paying for them at the high rates at which they were floated, the holders getting the benefit of the improvement without the risk of the business. In our case also the holders of debentures have obtained a great advantage in the marked and rapid improvement in the price within the past ten years, even a greater improvement than has taken place in the British railway debentures. We are, however, in the fortunate position that at furthest in forty-five years we shall be able to renew the long-dated of our debentures. Our protest against the great duration of these long-dated issues brought about a measure of reform on the last occasion, and doubtless the COLONIAL TREASURER will be alive to the signs of the times when next he goes to the money market. We may point out that Mr. BUNN lost nothing in shortening the date of our last issue by ten years, although the change was accompanied by what was doubtless a handicap by the fixing of March and September, instead of April and October, as the times of paying the half-yearly interest. The Bank of England, Mr. WESTGARTH, and others, protested; but we probably got a better price for the loan for thirty years than we should have got if it had been floated for forty years.

In these dear times, it may be well to notice how everything we require from abroad is so much cheaper in consequence of our open ports than it is in colonies where a protective duty increases the cost to the customer. Precisely at the time when people can least afford to pay high prices, we at least may get what we require from other countries on the most advantageous terms, while, in the sister colonies, they have to pay even higher prices than are naturally caused by the drought and unfavourable season. A telegram in Monday's issue stated that New Zealand oats in Melbourne were quoted at 4s. 6d. to 4s. 8d., duty paid. In Sydney the same article was selling at 4s. The illustration would hardly be worth giving if it were not that the fact it proves is so often denied. Of course that is not yet apparent to the extent it will be, should the drought intensify and prices continue to advance. Anything in the way of wheat or grain we may require from New Zealand or California will be bought by our people at the full amount of the duty less than like commodities can be bought if imported into Victoria, or any other of the protected colonies. A few years back when it was found that Victoria had over exported her surplus of grain, she had to pay more for her requirements of produce than New South Wales. Where the grain has not been bought up by middlemen or speculators—the class of the community for whom protectionists have no very good feeling—it is about the only time in which the farmers in a protected state can get any special advantage from the tariff. But all the same we believe that the cabmen and draymen of Victoria, and everyone who is interested in the supply of oats and other produce, will grumble at the dear prices, made dearer by their tariff, and wish they were in a free country, which exchanged its productions with all the world in an unselfish spirit. Whether the authorities will give them license to raise their charges in consequence of the objectionable operation of a law which increases their expenses, we are not aware. But surely they have some claim to consideration. Protective duties are always disturbing somebody's well-being and disarranging some legitimate interest.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE English mails to 20th October, per P. and O. Company's steamer *Victoria*, will be due to-day in time for delivery about 2 p.m.

THE questions open the business paper of the Legislative Assembly for to-day, followed by one notice of motion in Government business, 38 in general business, eight orders of the day in general business, and one order of the day in Government business. Two of the orders of the day—the third readings of the Hunter, New England, Extension Bill, and the Payment of Members Bill—will probably be taken as formal motions. The Government notice of motion is in the name of Mr. Abigail, for leave to bring in a bill to provide for the definition of water rights, and the use and enjoyment thereof. Eleven of the notices of motion are for select committees, and seven are for papers and

SAVOUR OF LEAVING CUSTOMS DUTIES ON ALL EXPORTS—The Government are entering competition with our manufacturers by offering to give away the right to all future appointments of Governors the Government of the colony must be consulted. There are five notices of motion for going into committee for various purposes, and among other subjects contemplated in the notice of motions are the following:—Water conservation and irrigation works in connection with Lake George; the repeal of the "State House" clause of the Acquisition of Land Act; Governor extension of the Agricultural Society's tenure of the land at Moor Park; the construction of reproductive works; the submission of rival railway routes to the Parliamentary Standing Committee; special elementary training of officers for the defence of the country; the question of special areas; the San Francisco mail contract; reduction of the salary of future Governors; and maintenance within municipalities.

The Hon. John Sutherland had yesterday sufficiently recovered from his illness to feel that he would like to attend at the Works Office and dispose of various departmental matters.

SIR HENRY PARKES, the Hon. C. J. Roberts and F. Abigail, together with the members of Parliament who accompanied them on a visit to the Shoalhaven district, returned yesterday evening by train, arriving at the Redfern Railway Station at about 10 minutes past 6 o'clock. The party left Coolangubra, the estate of Mr. David Barry, whose guests they were Saturday evening, along the Ninemile Beach to Gerrington, and thence to Kiama, from which place the train set out at a quarter to 8 o'clock in the afternoon. The weather was oppressively hot on Friday when Ministers passed through Berry and on to Nowra, and was even worse on Saturday, when a trip was made down the River Shoalhaven. The first work done during the various stages of the district tour was to examine the atmosphere, and enveloped the whole country for miles round in smoke. The weather was cool and pleasant on Sunday and yesterday, though the fires continued to burn, and the smoke remained to obscure the landscape. The people of the district are beginning to feel the effects of want of rain.

THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS will, we learn, proceed to Albany to-night, and will, starting thence, make inspection of the Great Southern line of railways until it reaches Perth. The tour will occupy until next Saturday or Sunday.

The nomination of candidates for the eight vacancies in the Municipal Council took place yesterday. A fair gathering attended in the Town Hall to hear the announcements by Alderman Chapman, which were as follows:—Gipps Ward—J. D. Young, Isaac Ellis live; Bourke Ward—A. Dean, A. C. Shadler; Brisbane Ward—J. Hardie, T. H. Deuring; Macquarie Ward—S. E. Jones, J. B. Cook Ward—A. W. P. Wood, J. G. Blainey, Philip Ward—J. P. O'Neil, J. McElhone; Phillip Ward—J. Harris, T. O'Neill; Denison Ward—E. Jones, J. Martin. The first name given in each ward is the name of the retiring alderman. The following were nominated for the positions of city auditors: J. Carroll, G. Christie, J. Robertson, W. Walker. The elections will take place on Saturday.

MR. FRANKER, Under-Secretary of Justice, has not yet returned to duty, having been confined to bed since his return from England. The adjournment of the Court, however, proved to be more severe than was at first expected, would be the case.

THIS FAULT COURT was occupied during the whole of yesterday in hearing arguments in the appeal Divorce and another v. National Fire and Marine Insurance Company, which were resumed and concluded. Judgment was reserved. In the No. 1 Jury Court, the action Prendergast and others v. Dodds and another, which was commenced on the 10th inst., was taken up on Tuesday, when evidence was stated to the Court. The next action, Sera v. Milne, was one in which the plaintiff sued to recover compensation for alleged trespass by defendant upon premises leased by plaintiff at Darling-street, Balmain; also for damage to his furniture. Defendant was further charged with violently assaulting and evicting plaintiff from the premises. The case was not called on for jury service. The No. 2 Jury Court did not sit as a Judge was not available, and the jurors were discharged until this morning.

THE TRIAL of the men, eleven in number, charged with having been concerned with others in the riot which took place at the Walland Colliery on the 12th of October last, was commenced at the Central Criminal Court yesterday before His Honor Mr. Justice Foster. The case for the Crown was conducted by Mr. C. G. Heydon and Mr. Coffey. Mr. West, Q.C., and Mr. Edmunds appeared on behalf of the defendants. At 10 o'clock the trial was adjourned till this morning, but the case for the prosecution was not completed when the Court adjourned. The jury were looked up for the night. The accused persons were admitted to bail. The case will be continued at 10 o'clock this morning.

MR. G. H. FITZGERALD, who has for some time past acted as Crown Prosecutor, has, we are informed, been appointed to act as a District Court Judge during the absence on leave of Judge Kewling.

THE SITTINGS of the Metropolitan Court of Quarter Sessions were continued at the District Court Courthouse yesterday, before Mr. District Court Judge McFarland. Mr. Fitzhardinge appeared on behalf of the Crown. The remaining cases on the list were dealt with, but they were for the most part of an unimportant character. James Leonard, who was charged with the manslaughter of a boy named Harry Mansell, pleaded guilty, and was ordered to be imprisoned until the rising of the Court. The Judge said the facts of the case, and all the circumstances, such as sentence, would meet the requirements of the law. The appeals against the decisions of magistrates will be heard to-day.

THE annual meeting for the revision of the jury list for the district of Sydney and the suburbs will be held on Tuesday, December 11, at 11 o'clock, at the Central Police Court. Those who desire to claim exemption have therefore an opportunity of doing by letter or otherwise on or before the date mentioned.

A few years ago there died Mr. H. R. Lee, then manager of the Sydney Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen, who had for many years apart from the institution devoted himself to the relief of the poor, and was taken a leading place in connection with various philanthropic movements in this City. A number of friends and old co-workers thought it was but right that Mr. Lee's public usefulness should be marked in some fitting manner; and it was decided to erect to his memory a memorial tablet. Mr. Lee was born at the new institution in Kent-street, which takes the place of the old City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen with which Mr. Lee was for so many years associated. This tablet was unveiled recently in the presence of a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen who had been associated with Mr. Lee in his many efforts for good. Among those present on the occasion were Mr. G. H. Lovett, Mr. N. J. Crocker, Mr. Thomas Cowling, Mr. H. W. Cowley, Mr. H. Busby, the latter being the friend of Mr. Lee, the superintendent of the old Mission Sunday School after its removal to the Soup Kitchen, and subsequent to Mr. Lee's decease; also Mr. Rokos, who had held leading offices in connection with the same school. An officiating address was given by Mr. Lovett, a very able friend of Mr. Lee, who spoke of the self-sacrificing terms of the loss the city sustained in the death of Mr. Lee, who was referred to as some 30 years ago in the establishment of the Pitt-street Band of Hope and of a temperance magazine in connection therewith, which he edited; in morning breakfasts for the poor, and the Young Men's Christian Association as originally established, and as resuscitated under the more favourable conditions which led to the splendid position which it now occupies. Mr. Busby referred to Mr. Lee's eminent services in Sunday-school work and in other labours for the welfare of the young. The tablet, on being unveiled, showed the record of some of the leading works for practical good in which the greater part of Mr. Lee's life had been spent, and the regret was general that he had not been longer spared to continue them.

WITH a view to having the Parramatta Reservoir at Little Wymba cleared out at a time when there is so little water in stream, the Government have placed at work removing the sediment which has been accumulating for years on the bed. It is understood that the Government will pay half the cost of the labour, treating the work as one on which the surplus labour can be utilized. The council have placed on 10 men whom they would have had to discharge, in consequence of the low state of the water.

of the unemployed. We understand that further number will be placed on to-day or to-morrow. Should the dry weather continue another week or so, it is probable that the council will be able to set men to work at the retaining wall, through which, at or near the base, a great quantity of water percolates.

This annual exhibition of the Natural History Association is notified in another column.

The following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral this afternoon, 4.30 p.m.:—"Magnificat," by C. Nune Dimittis, Gledits in C; anthem, "How lovely are Thy dwellings far" (Spetch).

Report of the Sydney Hospital for the week ended 24th November is as follows:—Admitted, 40 males, 4 females, total 56; discharged, 24 males, 15 females, total 39; died, 6 males, 2 females; total 8; remaining, 181 males, 77 females, total 238; casualties attended to but not admitted, 684.

EUROPEAN CABLEGRAMS

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TURKISH COMMISSIONER TO BULGARIA.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The Sultan of Turkey has appointed Rechin Bey as the Turkish Imperial Commissioner at Sofia.

THE SIKKIM EXPEDITION.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The British expeditionary force to Sikkim has succeeded in tranquillising the country, and the Tibetan forces are dispersing. The strongholds of Gnatong and Gantok, on the main road to Sikkim, will be garrisoned by British troops until peace is permanently established.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The death is announced of Mr. James O'Gorman (the O'Gorman Mahon); formerly Home Rule member for Clare.

THE SOUDAN REBELLION.

A BRITISH REGIMENT ORDERED TO SUAKIM.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

It is understood that an English regiment returning from India, has been ordered to proceed to Suakim to assist in expelling the hostile dervishes from their position in the vicinity of Suakim.

THE ILLNESS OF MR. JOHN BRIGHT.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The condition of the Right Hon. John Bright shows no improvement, and he is rapidly sinking.

SCULLING CONTEST IN AMERICA.

TEEMER DEFEATED BY O'CONNOR.

O'CONNOR PROCEEDS TO AUSTRALIA.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

A sculling race was rowed on Saturday last on the Potomac River, in the United States, between John Teemer, of America, and O'Connor, of Canada. The course was three miles, and the race was for £200 a-side.

O'Connor won by 10 lengths, the time being 20 minutes 33 seconds.

O'Connor proceeds to Australia to row Searle. Teemer will probably accompany him.

[O'Connor, who has beaten John Teemer, the American champion oarsman, so decisively, is said to be a Canadian by birth. During the last two years he had been very favourably regarded in the sculler world; indeed, he had won several of the most important races, and he was spoken of as the "dark horse," who was coming out to row Beach and Kemp, prior to the appearance of Searle in the aquatic arena. O'Connor, who is quite a young man, is said to possess a good constitution and a splendid physique. He learned a great deal of his sculling from his fellow countryman Hanlan, who entertains a good opinion of his protégé's capabilities. O'Connor has come to the trophy very rapidly during the past 12 months, and his defeat of such a renowned oarsman as Teemer stamps him as a sculler of the first order. A match between the representative oarsmen of Canada and New South Wales would prove to be very interesting event.]

THE INTERCOLONIAL CRICKET MATCHES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

A meeting of the Victorian Cricket Association was held to-night, when Mr. Gibson attended as a delegate from Sydney. He stated that the New South Wales Association were desirous that there should be two annual contests between both colonies. He offered that New South Wales should play in Melbourne at Christmas, and go on to Adelaide to play on New Year's Day, and for Victoria to play in Sydney on January 28; for the following year the New South Wales team to visit Melbourne on Boxing Day, and later on both Victoria and Adelaide to visit Sydney. At the end of the time some definite arrangements could be made. After a long discussion the association decided to adhere to the decision of the conference for only one match between both colonies. In the event of New South Wales not agreeing to this, the secretary was instructed to arrange a match in Melbourne with Adelaide on Boxing Day.

THE DISABLED SCHOONER FOREST KING.

DEATH OF THE MATE FROM THIRST.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

THURSDAY ISLAND, MONDAY.

The Eileen returned from the disabled schooner Forest King on Saturday night. The schooner left the Norman River on the 15th October, in ballast composed of earth, which choked the pump. The vessel became unmanageable, and came to an anchor near Bado Water ran out, and the ship's company suffered greatly from thirst. The mate and a boat's crew went ashore on the mainland of New Guinea, and while sinking for water they were attacked by the natives, who speared two men, one of whom—the mate of the vessel—afterwards died from the effects of thirst. The Eileen gave the captain a quantity of water and left the vessel anchored. On the arrival of the Albatross she will be sent to bring the Forest King to Thursday Island.

CHRISTMAS.

It is stated that no country in the world is so lavishly so kindly remembrance, at this bright season, as the Antipodes.

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APPOINTMENT OF COLONIAL GOVERNORS.

SIR CHARLES GAVAN DUFFY ON THE SITUATION.

MR. GOWEN EVANS AND THE COLONIAL GOVERNMENTS.

THE TIMES AND THE CLAIMS OF SIR HENRY PARKES.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Sir Charles Gavan Duffy has written a letter to the *Times* in which he points out that it would have been safer for Lord Knutsford to have consulted Sir Thomas M'Ilwraith privately when he was asked to do so, than to have allowed matters to take their present course. The objections of the colonies to the action of the Imperial authorities differed, as Mr. Gillies' Victorian experience proved. The contention of Queensland would, however, be found weighty. Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, in the course of his letter, cited the crisis which arose during the governorship of Sir Charles Darling.

The Gowen Evans, of Melbourne, has written a letter to the *Times*, in which he agrees with the views expressed by Lord Carnarvon. He thinks that a speedy decision of the question is necessary in order to avoid friction; but he depreciates the idea of consulting a colonial Government which would probably have only a tentative existence. The Irish Home Rulers, the writer points out, have taken a new departure since the adhesion of Mr. Gladstone to their cause. They are actively diverting the objects of the Australian Natives' Association. Nothing would please Sir Thomas M'Ilwraith better than the continuance of the Press discussions on the present difficulty. Mr. Evans adds that the nature of Sir Henry Blake's services in Ireland rendered it undesirable that he should be appointed to a colony containing a number of Irish who blindly follow such leaders as Dr. O'Doherty. Both Sir Thomas M'Ilwraith and Sir Samuel Griffith, he was confident, must know that the majority of the colonies are thoroughly loyal, and would not countenance any wild scheme.

The *Times* publishes an article this morning dealing with the question. The leading journal states that if the rights of the colonies to object to the appointment of a Governor is conceded, Lord Knutsford would be expected to yield what would amount to a absolute veto on the appointment; and absolute independence would constitute the ultimate bond between the colonies and England. The claims of Sir Henry Parkes, the article proceeds, would exclude from the position of colonial Governors able men, who have earned position, in India and the Crown colonies. The importance of Sir Henry Parkes's adhesion to Queensland was discounted by the action of Mr. Gillies.

BOULANGISM IN FRANCE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

At a banquet given to him in Paris, General Boulanger asserted that peace would be enforced by France only by a firm and dignified attitude.

MADAME BOULANGER.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Madame Boulanger is applying for a divorce from her husband, General Boulanger.

THE RELIEF OF EMIN BEY.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Herr Wissmann is organising an expedition to start from Zanzibar to Wadelai for the relief of Emin Bey, and to ascertain the fate of Stanley. A second expedition with the same object in view will be undertaken by Dr. Peters.

RUSSIAN INFLUENCE IN BOSNIA.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The French and Russian consuls at Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia, are travelling through the country. They are constantly assuring the inhabitants that Russia is their only friend.

ITALY AND FRANCE.

PROHIBITION AGAINST FRENCH VESSELS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Italy is taking measures to prevent French espionage in connection with the defence of Sardinia.

Orders have been issued prohibiting French vessels from approaching the harbour of Maddalena, an island off the north coast of Sardinia.

HEAVY GALES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 26.

The heavy gales which were reported to have swept over the United Kingdom last week continue with unabated fury. The storms have proved very destructive on the coast, and many shipping casualties are re-

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The plant is also very complete, embracing everything necessary
to the business.

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 12s 6d dozen; 2 dozen cartons, 7s per dozen.
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90 Years' Leases.
Interested LANDERS will be told

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SUNDRY PROPERTIES.
To be
SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
their ROOMS, 125, PITT-STREET,
at 11.30 o'clock,
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GEORGE-STREET. A MAGNIFICENT BLOCK, 100
feet long, to GEORGE-STREET by a depth
of about 140 ft.

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MAGNIFICENT FREEHOLD PROPERTY
in the very heart of the
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IN GEORGE-STREET,
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As Exceptional Opportunity to acquire a Splendid Pasture
AN EVER-INCREASING VALUE.
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have been instructed to
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION
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BLOCK OF LAND.
Having a frontage to Grosvenor street of 11002.36, by a depth varying from 1400ft. to 100 ft. by 100 ft. and 100 ft. by 100 ft. at the rear.

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TERMS:
3 per cent. deposit, 2 per cent. in three months, 3 per cent. in six months, 4 per cent. in nine months, 5 per cent. in one year, and the balance 10 years. Interest at 5 per cent.

Particulars and descriptive plans can be obtained from the Auctioneers.

In announcing this fine property, the Auctioneers desire to attract the attention of the public to the following facts:

The site is upon the eastern side of the more valuable and more thronged side of the street. It is but a few yards from the terminus of the tramway, and is within 100 yds. of the same side. It is on the route to the North Shire Bridge, and will enormously augment the traffic in Grosvenor street. It is close to the terminus of the railway, and is within 100 yds. of the same. The chief Government offices, the great wool and other stores, the principal banks, the principal offices of the Exchange, and principal shipping houses are in the immediate neighbourhood. The offices of the P. and O. Company are nearly opposite. Those of the Indian and Chinese Companies are in Grosvenor street, India, and the Adelaide S. S. Company are within a street of the same. The principal hotels, the principal banks, and other businesses now ply from the suburbs to the Circular Quay.

The site of the city is built upon a narrow peninsula, which consists of a small strip of land, and a small artificial shoal off the business portion of the city and as it were an island. One street only bisects the city from end to end, and this street is Grosvenor street. It is the only street which runs from end to end, and this Grosvenor street is the only entrance to the city from the sea.

These facts make Grosvenor street the only entrance to the city from the sea, and the only entrance to the city from the sea.

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erected upon the Underwood-street frontage. The value was
produce a rental of \$18,000 to \$20,000 a year.
The site is among the choicest for the mercantile and finan-
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TERRY-HIL-HIE STATIONS.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, AND CO., Limited,
of office at auction, on an early date, on account of the
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PERTIES, in the GOWDIE DISTRICT, well and favourably known
as
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together with
22,000 (more or less) SHEEP, of which about 2000 are
are now lambing, and
6,000 (more or less) CATTLE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
20th November, 1894

BOYCE v. HOWE, THOMAS, and ANOTHER.

ON FRIDAY, the twenty-eighth day of December,
1894, at noon, unless the writ of Fieri Facias here is pre-
viously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be put in public auc-
tion under the verandah of the Supreme Court, Kingsmead,
Sydney.

All the right, title, and interest of John Harro, one of the
defendants herein, of it, and of All that the Equity
Court of the said State of New South Wales, in the
said No. 1000 of the first title, and in and to the

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A DVERTISER seeks HOUSEKEEPING for gentleman with servant (kept, refs. V.W.C.A., Wynyard-st.)
FIRST-CLASS Engineer wants SITUATION. S. P., P.O., Ashfield.
A GARDENER, practical, fruit, flowers, veg., mow, &c. Gardener, c/o M'Carthy, Surrey-st., Marrickville.
A HANDY Man, garden, &c., wants Employment, five years' good ref. from Sydney gentleman. Emerald, Herold.
N ENGLISH Cook (female) Disengaged, good

AS HOUSEKEEPER, with or without servant; Eng-
lish lady, experienced; highest refs. L. C. 148, Castlereagh-st.
AS HOUSEMAIDS wanted, Cooks and L., useful Girls,
&c. Miss Hall, Registry, 30, Park-street.
AT the Home, 83, Market-st.,—No charge made to em-
ployers engaging male servants for country and town.
ATHOROUGH Laundress, also good Cook, waits for
ENGAGEMENT. 30, Yurong-street.

A TRUSTWORTHY, experienced Collector wants EMPLOYMENT, whole or part time. Muster, Herald Office.

A YOUNG MAN is anxious, groom, drive, general useful, store, &c. Miss Hall, Registry, Park-street.

A DIVERSE, who has injured his right arm, seeks EMPLOYMENT, as Watchman, Messenger, &c.; 14 years' experience; moderate wages. L. A., Herald Office.

A FAMILY about leaving the colony can recommend

A FIRST-CLASS Hat and Feather Dyer, with knowledge of millinery, would like SITUATION in country. Address Dyer, Park-street Post-office.

A YOUNG Woman seeks a SITUATION, as House-maid and Landress or Laundrymaid; good references; opens in three days. L. M., Post-office, Oxford-street.

A LADY desires immediate RE-ENGAGEMENT as useful Companion or Governess to young children; would

AT 108, Bathurst-st. Gov. Inst.—Waiting, 3 exp. Dressmakers, comp. to undertake the management of good business, 3 and 4 years' rels.: 2 sisters, exp. Milliner and Dressmaker, management of show and workroom, good refs.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., Gov. Inst.—Waiting, Superior Finishing Governess, English, French, German, singing, organ, piano, drawing, good ref. 4 years; English, French, r. Latin, music, singing, drawing, (Goubern. of the mountains pref.; middle aged Gov. English, French, piano, singing, drawing;

BAKERS.—Wanted, a SITUATION as Foreman of Second Hand. Address F. S., Post-office, Redfern.

BOY leaving school seeks Employment in shop, store, or warehouse. 29, 8a Herkness-street, Paddington.

BRY respectable middle-aged Man, garden, groom, drive,

BY good Cooks (female), C. and L., H. and P., Edmunds, Barnards, &c. refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

BY steady good Man, garden, milk, useful about house, references. A. B., Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY excellent Grocer and Coachman (25), can garden, &c., good refs. O. B. B., Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY good Men Cooks, Bakers, useful Men, Ploughmen, Boots, Walters, &c. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY young Person, Situation as General Servant, or

BY good Female Cook, in boarding-house; open one week. A. Y. Post-office, Williams-street.

BY experienced Monthly Nurse or Sick Nurse, highest refs. D. D. H., 222, Cass-leigh-street.

BY young Man, groom, garden, milk, useful, good references, wages 1 s. J. R., 250, Cass-leigh-street.

COMPETENT Clerk seeks EMPLOYMENT; knowledge of French, German, Italian; city refs. D. Herald.

ENGLISH Young Lady, wishes Position of trust; teach stenography. C. Dransfield, Thomas St/4, Bald Rk., Balm'n

EXPERIENCED Cook waiting Engagement; open until Thursday; MIL. Point preferred. Young people can find good places by calling at Fairview, Wilson's Point.

GENERAL. Servant, young (Prot.), with good refs., wants Situation, town or near sub. C. Home. Herald.

GOVERNESS wishes for Holiday Engagement bet. Dec. 16th and Jan. 16th. G. W., P. O., Paterson, Maitland.

GROCERS, and others.—Youth, 18, wants Situation as useful, drive, Ac. Youth, Paddington.

ANDY Man wants Employment, rough carpentering, any business. Ac.: Tassie div. reference. K. F. Herald.

ADY desirous of Situation as useful Lady Help, good needleman, small family, comfortable home. W. E. C., G. P. O.
ADY would give tuition in return for quiet, comfortable HOME. Madras, Herald Office.
AW Experienced Embroidering, Conveyancing, and General Clerk requires RE-ENGAGEMENT, excellent references. Address Mr. Allen, care of R. G. D. Fitzgerald, Albury, Surrey, England.

RESPECTABLE young Man wants **SITUATION**, as Barber's Improver; country prof. Le Carpentier, 255, Pitt-st.

RESPECTABLE young Man wants good **SITUATION**, as General Servant; country prof. L. Parmentier, 255, Pitt-st.

RESPECTABLE young Girl requires **SITUATION**, as Housemaid; F. W. Beckwith-street E.C.

SITUATION wanted. Young lady, just arrived from England, seeks **SITUATION** as house-keeper in a comfortable home to one or more gentlemen, where a servant is kept, good experience. Address J. T. Herald Office.

TWO respectable Girls require Situations, in same house; good references. Apply M. D. Post-office, Wontha-ha.

WANTED, by resp. Woman, hotel or fam. Washing, moderate charge. By letter, or 137, Gloucester-street.

WANTED, by good Glazier, Paperhanger, and Painter; town or country. Painter, Leicheardt Post-office.

WANTED, by respectable person. Washing, Ironing, or Cleaning. Apply No. 2, Fivoli-street, Paddington.

WANTED, SITUATION for two respectable Girls—one 12, one 13. 157, Campbell-street, Bury Hills.

WANTED, SITUATION by practical Dyer and Cleaner, Apply B., 392, Oxford-street, Paddington.

WANTED, Situation, by good Working Housekeeper or plain C. and L. A. E., 91, Roskill-street, Redfern.

WANTED by Youth, 16. Situation as IMPROVER to Plumbing and Gas-fitting. 139, Dowling-st., Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, morning ENGAGEMENT to children under 12. Progress, Herald Office.

WANTED, by young Woman, as General; small family; country. Como, P. O. Darlington.

WAREHOUSEMAN, exp. cloth, and woollen representative, desires meet house, good connec. J. M., Herald.

WANTED, SITUATION by respectable young person

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